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FM AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8823

INFO AMEMBASSY ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY AMMAN

AMEMBASSY CAIRO

AMEMBASSY COLOMBO

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C O N F I D E N T I A L DAMASCUS 4897

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, PORG, US, US

SUBJECT: MULTILATERAL AFFAIRS: KOREA

REF: STATE 181500

1. CHARGE DISCUSSED APPROACHES TO SARG ON KOREA WITH JAPANESE AMBASSADOR (HEAD OF CORE GROUP) JULY 24. AMBASSADOR SAID THAT FOLLOWING PREVIOUS CONSULTATIONS AMONG CORE GROUP AMBASSADORS (DAMASCUS 3111 - NOTAL, HE HAD CALLED ON DEPUTY FONMIN SHAQRA TO PRESENT GOJ POSITION AND LEAVE AID MEMOIRE WHICH HAD CORE GROUP CONCURRENCE. SHAQRA'S RESPONSE, HE SAID, HE HAD BEEN DISAPPOINTING AND HE PERSONALLY SAW NOTHING FURTHER THAT COULD BE DONE TO MODIFY SYRIA'S FIRM SUPPORT FOR NORTH KOREA. WE NEVERTHELESS AGREED THAT NO HARM WOULD BE DONE IF CHARGE REVIEWED POINTS AGAINST WITH FOREIGN MINISTRY.

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2. CHARGE CALLED ON FONMIN DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS

KAYLANI JULY 26 TO MAKE ORAL PRESENTATION BASED ON AIDE  
MEMOIRE CONTAINED STATE 181500 AND TO LEAVE KOREA PORTION  
OF SECRETARY'S JULY 22 SPEECH.

3. KAYLANI SHOWED INTEREST IN PORTION OF SPEECH CALLING  
FOR FOUR-NATION CONFERENCE ON KOREA DURING UNGA AND ASKED  
WHETHER ANY NON-ALIGNED GOVERNMENT WOULD BE PRESENTING  
U.S. POSITION AND SECRETARY'S PROPOSAL AT COLOMBO.  
CHARGE REPLIED WE WERE INFORMING NON-ALIGNED GOVERNMENTS  
OF OUR POSITION BUT HE DID NOT KNOW WHETHER ANY GOVERNMENT  
WOULD BE BRINING THIS POSITION FORMALLY BEFORE NON-  
ALIGNED CONFERENCE.  
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